UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

BRIAN PORTER

Plaintiff,

NOT FOR PUBLICATION ORDER

-against-

OKDEK

JOHN E. POTTER,

Postmaster General

Defendant.

04 CV 1255 (CBA)

AMON, UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

This Court has received the report and recommendation of the Honorable Lois

Bloom, United States Magistrate Judge, recommending that the defendant's motion for

dismissal or, in the alternative, summary judgment be construed as a motion for summary

judgment and granted, dismissing plaintiff's complaint in its entirety. No party has filed

objections to the report and recommendation.

The Court hereby adopts the report and recommendation as the opinion of the

Court, with the following observation. An additional reason to deny the plaintiff's request

for equitable tolling of the filing deadline in EEO case number 1A-116-0025-03, discussed

on page 12 of the report and recommendation, is the fact that the letter from Specialist

Larry Brown to the plaintiff clearly informed the plaintiff that he had fifteen calendar days

"from the receipt of this letter" to file a formal complaint. Gandy Decl., Ex. C.

The Clerk of the Court is directed to enter judgment in accordance with this Order.

SO ORDERED.

Dated:

Brooklyn, New York

September 28, 2005

Carol Bagley Amon
United States District Judge